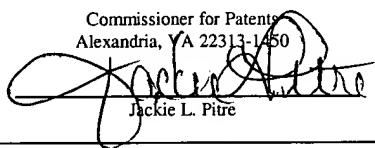


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USING PRESSURE AND/OR  
TEMPERATURE CONTROL

§ Examiner: G. A. Suchfield  
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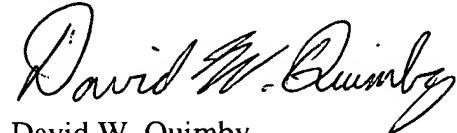
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